

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF:

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Application No.: New Application

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Title: **NANO-CONTACTED MAGNETIC  
MEMORY DEVICE**

Confirmation No.: Unassigned

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the subject application as follows prior to fee calculation  
and examination:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.